

On page 10, lines 9 and 10, delete "ATCC _____" and insert --ATCC 209297--.

On page 12, line 14, delete "Aeischer" and insert therefor --Aebischer--.

On page 12, line 14, after "Nature" insert --Medicine--.

On page 30, line 20, delete "ATCC _____" and insert --ATCC 209156--.

On page 30, lines 20 and 21, delete "ATCC _____" and insert --ATCC 209157--.

On page 30, line 21, delete "pRK5.tk.neo.hNRG3" and insert --pRK5.tk.neo.hNRG3B2--.

On page 30, line 21, delete "ATCC _____" and insert --ATCC 209297--.

On page 72, lines 26 and 27, delete "ATCC _____" and insert --ATCC 209157--.

On page 73, line 15, delete "ATCC _____" and insert --ATCC 209156--.

On page 85, line 26, insert --209156-- as the ATCC Deposit No. and --July 22, 1997-- as the Deposit Date.

On page 85, line 28, insert --209157-- as the ATCC Deposit No. and --July 22, 1997-- as the Deposit Date.

On page 85, line 30, insert --209297-- as the ATCC Deposit No. and --September 23, 1997-- as the Deposit Date.

On page 88, claim 6, second line, delete "ATCC deposit _____" and insert --ATCC deposit 209156--.

On page 88, claim 7, second line, delete "ATCC deposit _____" and insert --ATCC deposit 209157--.

On page 88, claim 8, second line, delete "ATCC deposit _____" and insert --ATCC deposit 209297--.

On page 89, claim 19, delete "ATCC _____" and insert --ATCC 209156--.

On page 89, claim 19, delete "pLXSN.mNRG" and insert --pLXSN.mNRG3--.

On page 89, claim 20, delete "ATCC _____" and insert --ATCC 209157--.

On page 89, claim 21, delete "ATCC _____" and insert --ATCC 209297--.

Please further amend the specification by renumbering pages 87-92 to be pages 112-117. Please further amend the specification by inserting after page 86 the attached Sequence Listing as pages 87-111.

SEQUENCE LISTING

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.821(f) and (g), the undersigned hereby states that the paper copy and computer readable form are the same and that the Sequence Listing submitted herewith includes no